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COMPLETION OF RECORD

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Sir:

On February 14, 2005, Applicants filed, in the present application, a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement bringing to the Examiner's attention documents cited in a Korean Office Action dated December 1, 2004. Included in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was an appropriate certification, so that a fee was not necessary for consideration of the cited documents.

Both of the cited documents were in a foreign language, although a an English language Abstract for one of these documents was enclosed. In the above-noted Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, the relevance, pertinent portions and claims to which each document is relevant, as indicated by the Korean Office Action, was noted to be set forth in the Korean Office Action which was, of course, in Korean.

Together with this paper, Applicants submit for the Examiner's consideration and in order to facilitate his review of the previously cited documents, two related English

language documents. In particular, in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on February 14, 2005, Applicants cited Korean Patent No. 1992-8504. U.S. Patent No. 4,987,747 is noted to be a patent family member of the above-noted document and a copy thereof is being submitted herewith in order to facilitate the Examiner's understanding and consideration of the Korean document that was cited in the Korean Office Action of December 1, 2004.

Japanese Laid-Open Patent Publication No. HEI 5-118625 was also cited in the above-noted Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. Attached hereto, Applicants are submitting an English language translation of the above-noted Japanese document. This English language translation was computer generated and is available at the Japanese Patent Office website.

Accordingly, these English language documents are being submitted to facilitate the Examiner's consideration of the previously cited documents which originated in the Korean Office Action dated December 1, 2004.

To facilitate the Examiner's clarification of the record in the present application (particularly the basis for the Examiner's consideration of the non-English language documents cited on February 14, 2005), Applicants are listing each of the presently-submitted documents on a PTO-1449 Form. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the documents cited and a confirmation of such consideration by return of each of the 1449 Forms. Such action is respectfully requested and is now believed to be appropriate and proper.

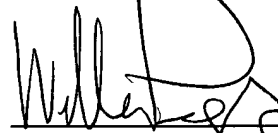
Applicants further note that since the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement of February 14, 2005 contained a certification and was filed within three

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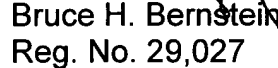
months of the issuance of the Korean Office Action, no fee is due for consideration of the cited documents. Accordingly, it is also believed that no fee is due for the consideration of the herein contained documents which are being submitted to facilitate the Examiner's understanding and consideration of the previously cited documents. Nevertheless, should any fee be due, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge payment of such fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Should the Examiner have any questions or comments regarding the present paper or this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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